

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: TAKASHI HASEBE ET AL.)
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IMAGE FORMING SYSTEM)

Customer No.: 23413

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Via EFS-Web
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Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed October 9, 2007, Applicant submits the following response.